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Los Angeles County Department of Public Health Guidance for Customers of Breweries, Wineries or Distilleries

Here is what to expect when you visit a brewery, winery or distillery

All customers:

- **Will be expected to wear a mask except while eating or drinking.**
 - You will need to wear a mask at all times except when sitting at a table eating or drinking.
 - Your mask must have at least two layers of tightly woven, breathable material. It must fully cover your nose and mouth and fit snugly against the sides of your face and around your nose.
 - The only exceptions are children under 2 or anyone who has been told by a doctor that they cannot wear a mask safely. Note that people with most underlying conditions (asthma, for example) can safely wear masks but if you cannot, go to the DPH [mask](https://ph.lacounty.gov/masks) page (at ph.lacounty.gov/masks) to learn about alternative face coverings.
- **Will be asked to comply with social distancing**
 - At any point when you are not seated, you must stay 6 feet from anyone who is not a member of your household.
 - If you have small children with you keep them close by, maintaining their six foot distance from other patrons and staff.
- **Should remember to practice good hand hygiene.**
 - Wash and/or disinfect your hands before arriving at the site, after using the restroom and again when you leave.
 - Check ahead and be prepared if the brewery, winery or distillery only takes credit cards. Some businesses have turned to contactless payment to avoid contagion.

If the brewery, winery or distillery offers on-site dining

- **You may have a choice of sitting in an indoor or outdoor dining area, depending on what the establishment offers.**
 - If dining outdoors, you will be permitted to dine with up to 6 people from up to 3 households. You will be asked to affirm that the people in your group are from no more than 3 households.
 - If seated indoors, you will be permitted to dine only with members of your household. You will be asked to affirm that the people in your group are from your household.
 - You will not be seated until everyone in your party is present.
 - Your table will be spaced at least 8 feet from any other table. This ensures 6 feet between diners at different tables and allows servers to move among tables without too much crowding.
- **You will be required:**
 - To order a meal along with your beverage order;
 - Not to move from your table or move around the dining area to visit other tables;
 - To make sure children in your group stay at your table;
 - To keep your mask on while you select and order your drinks and food. You can remove your masks when you are ready to eat or drink. If you leave your table to visit the restroom or consult with staff during your meal, wear your mask and try to keep your distance from other diners and staff in the dining area.
- **You may want to order in advance, reducing the time you spend at the site and limiting contact with your server.**

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If the brewery, winery or distillery does not offer on-site dining

- **You must make a reservation ahead of time.** Please remain in your car until your reservation time; lines and crowds outside of venues increases risk.
- **You have a 90-minute limit.** You will be limited to 90-minutes total for your visit to the brewery, winery or distillery.
- **You will be sitting outdoors, so plan accordingly.** Breweries, wineries and distilleries may only offer outdoor beverage service if they do not offer meals with their beverages.
- **Hours are limited to 11:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.** Customers will not be served after 8:00 p.m.

So many of us have missed the pleasure of visiting breweries, wineries and distilleries for the past year. Now it is up to all of us to make it work.

- If a server or other staff person reminds you about social distancing or wearing a mask, remember that they are protecting you and your party, the other customers, themselves, and the public. They are doing their job.
- Don't ask staff to let you sit indoors at a closed off table, add seats to your table, turn on the television, or open any game operations that may be part of their usual business. These are restrictions the establishment must comply with by law.
- Adhere to rules noted above; they are simple and they are based on science. They reflect research from all over the world about what it takes to stay safe.

Have a great visit, have fun and stay safe.

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